

BOTH SIDES CLAIM VICTORY

Telegrams From Nicaragua and Honduras are Very Conflicting.

MEXICO THINKS WAR CERTAIN

Reports From San Salvador Say That Nicaraguan Forces Were Defeated.

SAN SALVADOR, REPUBLIC OF SALVADOR, February 20.—Dispatches received here by Senator Davila, the representative of Honduras here, say that the Nicaraguan army invaded Honduras territory at Portillo del Espino, and that after two hours fighting the invading forces were completely defeated, leaving thirty-seven men killed and many wounded on the field.

CITY OF MEXICO, February 20.—First Assistant Secretary of State Alagarsa, this afternoon requested the Associated Press to make the following announcement:

A telegram has been received by President Diaz from the President of Honduras, saying that at 4 o'clock on the afternoon of the 18th, the forces of Nicaragua and Honduras met on the border and a fight ensued. He characterized the encounter as a small affair. The place where the battle occurred, the number of killed or wounded, and other details were not given. The President of Honduras declared that the Nicaraguans were defeated and compelled to retreat.

"It is believed in Mexico City that the telegram from President Bonilla, of Honduras, to President Diaz is tantamount to the non-acceptance of the offices of Mexico, and the United States, and that war between Honduras and Nicaragua is now certain.

MANAGUA, NICARAGUA, February 20.—The Nicaraguan army, under Generals Viquez and Porras, has defeated the forces of Honduras at several points, capturing important positions.

President Bonilla, of Honduras, has issued a proclamation in which recent events are distorted, and appealing for recognition of the boundary question, which Nicaragua has not taken into consideration since the King of Spain rendered his award in the matter. From the outset Nicaragua has only demanded complete satisfaction for the attack made on property and the burning of buildings in Nicaraguan territory by regular troops of Honduras, and for the killing of the Nicaraguan soldiers who composed the small frontier guard which was attacked by Honduran troops.

MANAGUA, NICARAGUA, February 20.—As a result of the hostilities which broke out February 15th between Honduras and Nicaragua, resulting in the refusal of the Honduran army, the Nicaraguan troops are now advancing into the interior of Caracamo, who led the attacking force, was killed during the fighting.

LADY HURT BY FALL.

Young Lady In Dangerous Condition From Pneumonia.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ROXBURY, VA., February 20.—Mrs. L. Watkins, a very young lady of advanced age, who fell Monday on the ice and fractured her hip, is in a serious condition.

Miss Mary Johnson, of Glendale, one of the county's most charming young ladies, is dangerously ill with pneumonia. She is under the care of Dr. Taz Bradley.

The ladies of Emmaus Baptist Church will give an oyster supper for the benefit of their church Friday night. The program will be of unusual interest, consisting of a telephone concert, recitations and tableaux.

VIRGINIA'S TEAM.

Quartet Selected, Which Will Run Against George Washington.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHARLOTTEVILLE, VA., February 20.—Virginia's relay team, which will run against the Federal games at Convention Hall in Washington, Saturday night, was selected this afternoon. The team consists of W. B. Marbury, Upper Marlboro, Md.; A. J. Rector, Hot Springs, Ark.; S. Reed, Henderson, Ky.; L. H. Boshier, Richmond, Va.; with E. M. Jeffers, of Richmond, substitute.

Gray and Wood will compete in the mile run, Rector and Howell in the sprints, and Captain Randolph in the high jump.

SAUNDERS—JORDAN; DICKINSON—HALSEY

BALTIMORE, February 20.—Licenses were issued here today for the marriages of Mary T. Saunders, twenty-five years old, of Richmond, to Mr. M. C. Jordan, twenty-seven years old, of Brooklyn, Anne Arundel county, Md.; and for Miss Fannie H. Dickinson, twenty-three years old, and Mr. Frank

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Lin S. Halsey, twenty-five years old, both of Rapidan, Va.

TROUBLE FOR SUPERBAS.

Suit Filed Against Stockholders to Recover a Loan of \$40,000.

NEW YORK, February 20.—Howard C. Griffiths, as counsel for the stockholders of the old Baltimore Baseball Club, brought suit yesterday against the stockholders of the Brooklyn Baseball Club for \$40,000, which he alleges the latter club borrowed from the Baltimore Club at the time the American League was making inroads into the National League Clubs.

Mr. Griffiths said yesterday that he expected the case would be tried some time during the April term of the Circuit Court in Hudson county, N. J. Another suit against Charles Ebbetts, president of the Brooklyn Club, is pending in the Chancery Court, but this suit was not come up for some time. Hanlon and Bell are behind this suit, and they charge that Ebbetts as president drew \$10,000 annually for two years, while the by-laws authorized him to draw only \$4,000 a year, and a suit for the recovery of the \$12,000 was begun a few days after the Brooklyn Baseball Club had its annual meeting on November 12th, in Jersey City.

BASEBALL AT LEHIGH.

Captain Mackall Makes General Call for Candidates.

SOUTH BETHLEHEM, PA., February 20.—A general call for baseball candidates will be made this week by Captain Mackall, of Lehigh. A special call for pitchers and catchers was made two weeks ago, and pitchers turned out in numbers. The pitching candidates are Hesse, Barker, Sorfess, Trossler, Taylor, Green, Friday and Ricksecker. The catchers' squad is composed of Mackall and McMurtrie, old men. Street, who played with George School last year in the Lehigh Valley League, is expected to appear after the baseball season is over.

Of last year's team Gott is lost at first base by graduation. Gubralth will again be on second and Kirk on third, if his studies do not interfere. Schuebler and Ardman are substitutes for shortstop. The only sure position in the outfield is centerfield, which will be filled by Uptegraf. So far what material the freshmen class will bring forth is not known.

NEW CUP CHALLENGER.

Kenneth M. Clark Wants to Lift America's Trophy, It Is Said.

NEW YORK, February 20.—The report comes from Glasgow that there is a possibility of another challenger appearing from the other side for the America cup instead of Sir Thomas Lipton. The challenger is said to be Kenneth M. Clark, a well-known English yachtsman, the owner of the racing boat "Whirlwind," who was successful in the racing boat up to two years ago.

It is said that Mr. Clark has made up his mind to challenge, but that he will wait until the end of the coming summer to give Sir Thomas Lipton the chance to get in his fourth challenge if he still desires a race.

A Boy for Adoption.

If some good, kind mother or father wants a little blue-eyed chirping boy for the home, application may be made to Superintendent George B. Davis, of the City House. The cooling little cherub is about six weeks old, and can be had for the asking.

FINANCIAL BILL DID NOT PASS

Senator Daniel Reviewed the Measure and Gave Most of It His Approval.

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 20.—Senator Aldrich today secured an hour's consideration of his financial bill after the Senate had discussed the Smoot case. The measure was not passed. It was laid aside at 6 o'clock this afternoon and was not taken up at the night session.

Mr. Aldrich said the first section of the bill provided for the issuance of one, two and five-dollar United States notes when the supply of silver certificates of those denominations is insufficient to meet the public demand. The demand for these small notes, Mr. Aldrich explained, was greatly in excess of the supply.

Mr. Aldrich explained that the bill did not curtail or add to the volume of money one dollar, neither did it affect the subject of subsidiary coinage. It simply changed the denomination of the bills.

Another section of the bill, he said, provided that customs receipts may be deposited in national banks which have been designated as government depositories, the same as internal revenue receipts are now deposited.

Daniel's Objection.

Mr. Daniel, a member of the Finance Committee, reviewed the bill and gave his provisions his approval. His only objection, he said, was to its last section, which allowed national banks to retire \$9,000,000 a month of their circulation instead of \$3,000,000, as now provided.

The tendency of banks to indulge in speculation, he believed, would make it possible for banks to take advantage of this increased allowance in the matter of retiring national bank notes to depress the money market, and thereby affect the price of securities.

Senator Bacon spoke of the demand which had been made on him by the bankers of the South in the matter of providing more small bills. It had formerly been the custom of the treasury to supply that section with small money by the shipment of silver dollars, on which the government paid the expense. At the last session, he explained, the government was prohibited from paying the cost of transportation, and the banks were unwilling to bear the added expense of shipping silver dollars.

Will Not Appear.

Montgomery, Ala., Feb. 20, 1907. The Governor will not appoint commissioners to the race.

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OBITUARY.

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Mrs. Petty was the mother of Mrs. W. C. Crenshaw, Jr., of Orange; Mrs. Rufus Parks and Mrs. W. C. Dickson, of Norfolk, and a daughter, Mrs. Lewis Crenshaw, of this city.

Luther W. Hughes.

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Mrs. Mary Wade Ashby Warden.

WASHINGTON, VA., February 20.—Mrs. Mary Wade Ashby Warden, wife of John W. Warden, died suddenly this morning at 10 o'clock at her residence, three miles south of Washington. Mrs. Warden was a Miss Ashby. At the time of her death she was seventy-seven years old. The funeral will be held at the home of Charles W. Warden, president of the First National Bank, of Bristol; Hubert Warden, of Mexico; Missouri Ashby Warden, of Philadelphia; Eugene Warden, of Goldsboro, N.C.; Raymond Warden, of the Navy.

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STUARTS, VA., February 20.—Mrs. A. W. Campbell died suddenly last night at 11 o'clock of apoplexy. She had been out driving in the car, and was delighted and happy and cheerful as ever. She

with me. During the fourteen years that I served in Congress the position of the South on all public affairs was sought to be controlled by this continued threat. I am frank to say that it never had any influence with me in shaping my political policies or convictions.

Question Is Local One.

I have always resisted congressional investigations, and conferences, because I believe this to be a local question, deeply affecting the civilization of the separate States and local communities, and the solution of which, under the Constitution, was given to the States. I shall continue to insist on this, undeterred by threats and unswayed by promises. But, instead of this commission tending to prevent a congressional investigation, it will tend to improve it, and an excuse for Congress to appoint its own commission. It will be taken as an indication that conditions in the South are so deplorable that a commission was necessary to investigate and aid in their improvement.

When the necessity for a commission is admitted, you must respect its own commission, and one other, South as a whole. The best course for the South to pursue is to meet this problem with justice, fairness and firmness, and settle it in a way that leads to the progress and prosperity of each State, and to the advancement of its best civilization.

This settlement cannot be accomplished all at once, but only through years of patient endeavor. Frequently great mistakes are made by endeavoring to anticipate for years the march of events.

I am deeply concerned in everything that appears to threaten the prosperity and progress of the South, and as Governor of Virginia, will gladly co-operate in any measure or undertaking that will be promotive of the best interests of the State, and that will tend to the betterment of the South. This proposition does not come to me as a request from the people of the other Southern States for Virginia to aid in the discussion and settlement of this matter, but as a request to aid in the initiation of such a commission. As there is no necessity for such a commission in Virginia, I cannot take action in the matter until I have received a request from the people of the other Southern States to do so, and, if such a request is presented by the other Southern States, it shall be given full and fair consideration, and no man need fear that in the future, in this matter with the utmost frankness and candor.

With kind regards, I am, Very truly yours, CLAUDE A. SWANSON, Governor of Virginia.

February 20, 1907.

Other Governors Decline.

After the issue of Governor Swanson's letter, The Times-Dispatch telegraphed the Governors of the other States, asking what they had determined to do in the matter. Replies have been received from four of them, as follows:

South Carolina.

Columbia, S. C., Feb. 20, 1907. I decline making any appointments to the race conference.

M. F. ANSEL, Governor.

Governor Not Asked.

Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 20, 1907. No requests made of me for appointment of commissioners to Southern race conference.

JOHN I. MOORE, Acting Governor.

Movement Is Unwise.

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 20, 1907. Times-Dispatch, Richmond. No. 1. I think the movement unwise and of no advantage to South.

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She was a member of the M. E. Church, South. She was buried in Hill Top Cemetery to-day at 11 A. M., by the side of her two daughters, Lillie and Maudie, whom she loved with all that tenderness that a mother possesses.

Mrs. P. L. Yarbrough.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CLINTON, VIRGINIA, VA., February 20.—Mrs. P. L. Yarbrough died at the home of her husband here to-day after a brief illness, aged seventy-four years. Deceased was a daughter of Dr. Henry W. Yarbrough, and she also lived until the 25th of this month she would have celebrated her golden wedding anniversary of years 25th Yarbroughs resided at Millboro, but for the past sixteen years she has been a resident of this city. Mrs. Yarbrough was a member of the Presbyterian Church, and was held in high esteem by all who knew her. The funeral will occur Friday morning. She is survived by her husband, but no children.

Dr. Herbert B. Williams.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LYNCHBURG, VA., February 20.—Dr. Herbert B. Williams, aged twenty-nine years, a prominent physician of Gladys, Campbell county, died to-day at St. Andrew's Home, of typhoid pneumonia, after an illness of several weeks. He is survived by brothers and sisters as follows: Dr. Walter, Dr. P. P. and John B. Williams, Brookland; Dr. Will Williams, Gladys, and Mrs. Robert Perrow, Lynchburg, and Mrs. William Light, West of Virginia. The remains will be taken to Gladys to-morrow for interment.

Mrs. Caroline Childress.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ROCKWELL, HANOVER CO., VA., February 20.—Mrs. Caroline Childress died in the home of her son, Mr. George Childress, the 17th inst. of pneumonia. Mr. Spotswood Vinfield died of paralysis Tuesday evening, the 18th, at his home near Casco, Va.

Mrs. Virginia T. Nolting.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BALTIMORE, MD., February 20.—Mrs. Virginia Temperance Nolting, sixty-three years old, formerly of Richmond, died to-day at the home of her son, Mr. William G. Nolting, the well-known architect, at Roland Park, city. She was a native of Virginia, and her husband, Mr. A. W. Nolting, her son and a daughter, Miss Elise Nolting.

James N. Brown.

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., February 20.—James N. Brown, one of the oldest citizens of King George county, died at his home from the effects of a fall, aged eighty-five years. He was formerly employed under the government in Washington. He is survived by several brothers and sisters.

Mrs. Louise Knight.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., February 20.—Mrs. Louise Knight, widow of William Knight, died to-day at her home in Stafford county, aged eighty-seven years. She is survived by five children.

C. S. Byers.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
STAUNTON, VA., February 20.—C. S. Byers died here this morning, aged eighty years. He was a Civil War veteran, and is survived by his wife, Miss Nora Anderson, died to-day of pneumonia, aged sixty years.

Miss Bettie Borden.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WOODSTOCK, VA., February 20.—Miss Bettie Borden died at the home of her father, Mr. John Borden, near Staunton, Va., this morning, aged twenty-four years. She was a native of Virginia, and her husband, Mr. C. L. Borden, brother of the groom, was best man.

Mrs. Mary Ann Rittenour.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WOODSTOCK, VA., February 20.—Mrs. Mary Ann Rittenour, wife of John Rittenour, died to-day at her home at Carmel, Shennandoah county, in her eighty-first year of age. She had been in failing health for some time due to the infirmities of old age.

Isaac Lewis.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WOODSTOCK, VA., February 20.—Isaac Lewis, of Woodstock, died last night, aged about fifty-eight years. He is survived by three children.

DEATHS.

HUGHES.—Died, in Richmond, Cal., last WEDNESDAY, February 13th, Mr. LUTHER W. HUGHES, aged twenty-four years. Remains reached Richmond yesterday morning at 9:30, and will be taken to Hanover to-day, following the arrival of the Norfolk and Western train at 11 o'clock.

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ROWLETT.—Died, suddenly at Soldiers' Home at 5:30 P. M. WEDNESDAY, JOHN F. ROWLETT, aged twenty-four years. The interment at Gethsemane Church, Hanover county, this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

WOODING.—Died, February 4, 1907, Mr. THOMAS H. WOODING, after a short illness with pneumonia, aged sixty-three years. She left a husband, three children, and twenty-three grandchildren. She was buried at her home in Pittsylvania county, near St. Stone, Va.

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